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We stand ready to aid every legitimate endeavor towards increase in production.

We wish for you a prosperous New Year.



DISPUTE OVER FENCE LEADS TO KILLING

Dalhart, Texas, Dec. 27.—Dave Wright, a ranchman living about six miles east of Dalhart, shot and killed Dick Patten this morning about 8

a'clock. The trouble arose over a fence between a man by the name of Cummings and Wright.

Miss Margaret Whipp left Monday for Balmoran, Kansas, where she expects to spend several months.

NEW HOPE NEWS FOR WEEK BEFORE XMAS

Rev. T. H. Pollard filled his regular appointment at New Hope Sunday afternoon. A large crowd was present.

Miss Neva Cowart returned home Saturday evening from Lubbock, where she has been working for the past week.

Miss Effie Eoff, who is teaching at Winters, Texas, came in Saturday morning to spend the holidays with homefolks.

Mr. Floyd Shipman, of the Union community, attended church at New Hope Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Cecil Richardson attended singing at Union Sunday afternoon. A large crowd of the New Hope and Union young people enjoyed a party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Haven Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Eoff and sons and daughter, Messrs. Calvin and Ealy and Miss Vinetta, were shopping in Lubbock Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Cecil Richardson was a Lubbock visitor Saturday afternoon.

Mr. E. J. Cowart and daughters, Misses Neva May and Lillie, were shopping in Lubbock Saturday afternoon.

Mr. W. D. Dryden has moved his family to the Emms farm. We are glad to welcome these people to our community.

Mrs. M. Keesee and children left Saturday for Middlethian, Texas, to spend the holidays with relatives. Mr. Keesee accompanied them as far as Quanah, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Rhoades visited Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Dryden Saturday night.

Mr. J. C. McDale and children, of the Canyon community, spent Sunday night and Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Eoff.

A few of the New Hope young folks attended the singing Sunday night given by Miss Vera Shipman in the Union community. All report an enjoyable time.

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Pate spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Eoff. Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Boyd and Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Richardson attended Conference at Canyon Sunday.

Miss Veda McDale is spending the holidays at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Eoff.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Nunley of Lubbock, visited Mr. W. W. Nunley last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Richardson and

little son, Lewis Edwin Jr., of Lubbock, spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Gus Haven.

Mr. Virgil Cowart left home Friday for Lubbock, but when found he and his cousin, Mr. Roscoe Cowart, and Miss Beulah Evans, had gone to Slaton.

Miss Onita Pate visited Misses Effie and Vinetta Eoff a while Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Haven were in Lubbock Saturday.

Mrs. S. D. Stewart was in town Saturday.

Mr. S. D. Pate is the proud owner of a new Chevrolet car. He and Mrs. Pate and daughters Misses Onita, Valree and Pauline, were in Lubbock Saturday morning.

Miss Neva Cowart spent Sunday with Miss Loula Kate Wylie.

Mr. S. D. Stewart was in Lubbock Friday afternoon.

Mr. S. D. Pate took a bale of cotton to town Monday and did not get back until Tuesday afternoon.

Misses Loula Kate Wylie and May Cowart were in town Tuesday afternoon.

Messrs. Orlander, Ewell and Joe Bailey Pate, started to town Tuesday morning and had the misfortune of breaking their buggy.

Miss Neva Cowart was in town Tuesday.

Mr. M. Keesee returned to Lubbock Tuesday to finish winding up his business affairs.

Mr. Virgil Cowart took a bale of cotton to town Tuesday afternoon.

CANYON HIGH SCHOOL NOTES, DECEMBER 18, 1919

Our school is progressing nicely and everyone is learning very fast.

Evis Bevills started back into the school Monday.

Una Webb has been absent from school for several weeks on account of sickness.

There were several absent Tuesday because it was so cold. They were Truie Thompson and Theola and Opal Crawford and Anna, Hubert and Perry Richard.

Burton Pruitt has been absent this week on account of the terrible accident that happened to him.

Jude Moore, Miss Halsey and Mr. J. P. Webb, were very welcome visitors in our school Friday. Miss Halsey made us a very interesting talk on the club work, both canning and poultry. Judge Moore talked on the club and school work. He said our school is one among the best rural high schools. Hurrah for our school she is coming to the front.

Our school turned out Friday, Dec. 12, for Christmas and teachers institute will start Monday two weeks.

We are going to have a Christmas tree the night of the 25th of December. There will be a short program before the excitement starts. The program is as follows:

Music by the Victrola.
Christmas Wishes—Primary pupils
Reading—Hazel Green.
Music by the Victrola.
Reading—James Putman.
Song—High School Girls.
Reading—T. L. J. Orin.
Play—Christmas Other Lands—Primary and Grammar pupils.
Reading—Willie Mae Thompson.

There has been just a small number of pupils absent and tardy this month only, with a few exceptions.

Our school will start Monday, Dec. 29th.

WIGGINTON TO QUALIFY AS COMPTROLLER JAN. 1

Austin, Texas, Dec. 27.—Mark L. Wigginton, recently appointed by Governor Hobby as State Comptroller to succeed L. W. Tuttle who has been appointed member of the State Board of Control, was here today from his home at Hillsboro, and announced that he had accepted appointment and would qualify Jan. 1. Mr. Wigginton also announced there would not be any change in

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